

## ENGAGEMENT IS ANNOUNCED.



MISS FRANCES MARION SHAW.  
Granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Smith, who is to marry Mr. John P. Fraser of Detroit, Mich.

## THE HUMBLE COOKY.

THE best cookies require more butter and eggs than the richest layer cake. Young cooks may think such ordinary little cakes call for less rich material, but they do not.

When making plain cookies add a quarter of a pound of melted chocolate to the butter, after using half of it, and make two kinds of cookies. You can cut both kinds out with a heart cutter, and after they are baked join them with a thin sugar icing.

Put a chocolate drop in the center of a thin wafer and place in the oven until the candy is melted and the cracker is crisp. Makes a delicious little wafer to serve at afternoon tea.

## Nut Cookies.

Take one and one-half cups of brown sugar, one cup of butter, three eggs, beaten separately, one teaspoonful of soda, dissolved in a little boiling water; two and three-quarters cups of flour, a pinch of salt, one teaspoonful of cloves, one pound of nuts and one pound of raisins, dropped with a teaspoon in heated tin.

## Molasses Cookies.

Take two and one-half cups of sugar, two cups of molasses, one tablespoonful of ginger, one tablespoonful of cinnamon. Let this come to a boil. When cool, stir in four eggs and one tablespoonful of soda and flour enough to roll out next day. Moderate oven.

When making ginger cookies use cold coffee in place of water. The substitute makes a delicious cake.

## Soft Sugar Cookies.

Two cups of sugar, one cup of butter, one level teaspoonful of soda, seven cups of flour, one teaspoonful of baking powder, a little nutmeg. Roll and cut with a heart cutter and bake in a hot oven on top of the grate.

## Sour Cream Cookies.

One cup of sour cream, one cup of light brown sugar, one egg, one teaspoonful of salt. Flavor, mix soft and bake.

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## Among the Clubs

G. F. W. C.—President Wilson officially recognized the work of the General Federation of Women's Clubs by accrediting representatives of the federal government. Mrs. K. E. Waller, Barrett of Virginia, and Mrs. George Porter Hopkins of this city—to the biennial convention recently held in New York. The message sent to the clubwomen of the country then assembled concerned the newly organized movement to supply an opportunity to every woman and girl seeking employment in the United States.

Pursuant to the general plan, since bringing it to the attention of the clubwomen, Mrs. Hopkins has been sent to Baltimore to co-operate with the state and municipal employment offices and organize committees on co-operation with individual women's clubs in Maryland.

Maryland, leading in the states co-operating with the federal government in the employment service, has added a women's and girls' division. In so doing, she appeals to every member of a woman's club within her borders for individual co-operation. The fervor of their response will measure the success of the nation-wide effort to secure employment for the women and girls over sixteen years of age desiring work in Maryland.

St. Gov. T. Welles Society, C. A. R.—Twenty-five members of the Senior Citizens' Club, who are the recent guests of Virginia Keith at her home in George Washington Park, Northampton Station, Va. The young folks were chaperoned by their president, Mrs. Clayton E. Emig, and met at Alexandria by a committee of resident D. A. R.s, who escorted members to all the historic points of interest. After this they were taken to the home of the Senior Citizens' Club. An informal meeting of the society was held, during which the secretary, Mrs. M. E. C. H. Collins, presented to two of its recent graduates members who will marry this month and two who will enter as cadets at Annapolis. There was dancing, and refreshments were served.

Galemont Branch, S. C. S.—The Galemont Branch of the Sunshine and Community Society will give a garden party on evening of this week at the home of Mrs. Dorothy Clarkson, 1407 Emerson street.

The Washington Readers' Club.—The newly elected officers and the members of the program committee of the Washington Readers' Club met recently in the apartment of the president, Edward C. Townsend, the Savoy. Plans were discussed as to the coming season, together with general business connected with the appointment of the several committees. The courtesy of the management of the New Exhibit of the Washington Readers' Club met recently in the white parlor of that hotel. Officers elected at the final meeting of the season are: President, Edward C. Townsend; vice president, Mrs. E. C. Townsend; recording secretary, Mrs. Elizabeth G. Wilson; corresponding secretary, Mrs. M. E. C. H. Collins; treasurer, Frank F. Maxwell; historian, Mrs. Grace Ross Chamberlin. The officers are: Miss Isabel M. Pechin, chairman; Mrs. Claude N. Bennett, Mrs. J. Leyden White, Mrs. Emma W. Anderson, Mrs. Grace Ross Chamberlin, Arthur Thomas and Willey O. Ison.

Cardinal Pleasure Club.—The Cardinal Pleasure Club held its current meeting at Flynn's Hall, I. Feldman presiding. The business was reported, and the decision was made to abandon the proposed straw ride to Baltimore in favor of a trip to the Potomac to take place early in July. Arrangements have been made for the club's annual moonlight excursion.

Phil Sheridan W. R. C.—Phil Sheridan W. R. C. met Tuesday evening, with the president, Carrie M. Gury, in the chair. Several committees submitted reports, and it was announced that the corps' work is still on the increase. Mrs. Bunney, patriotic instructor, reported the presentation of the flag by the presentation of the County High School at Rockville, Md. Four hundred pupils, with their teachers, raised a salute to the flag as it was raised over the schoolhouse. Mrs. B. Burdette, county superintendent of schools, in accepting the flag, made a patriotic address, and was followed by a program given by the school. Members of the corps in attendance with Mrs. Gury at the presentation were: Mrs. Marion B. Parker, Sarah A. Bunney, Mary Goudie, Mary P. Fauth, Agnes Maxwell, Nellie F. Ferrell, Mrs. M. E. Kelton, Sarah Beach, Mrs. Trout, Minnie Fischer and Lida A. Oldroyd. At the close of the ceremonies the members of the domestic science department served luncheon.

Cultus Club.—The Washington Cultus Club recently held its last meet-

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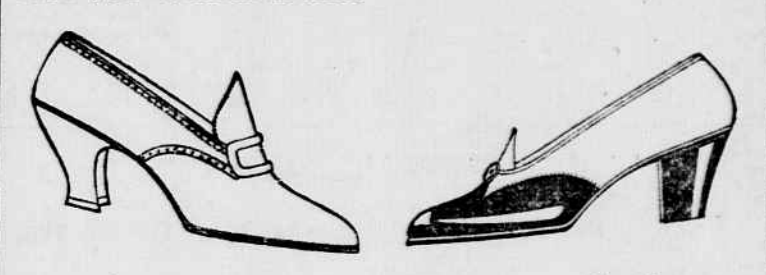
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